

Docket Number: 2595

REDSTONE HIGHLANDS HEALTH CARE CENTER

~~Samuel B. Fineman, Esquire~~
~~Randy J. Riley, Esquire~~
Michael A. Hynum, NHA, Esquire

VS.

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COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

~~John A. Kane, Chief Counsel~~
Jason W. Manne, Assistant Counsel

January 26, 1998

Claim and filing fee filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Amount of Claim: \$300.00+

January 27, 1998

Copy of Claim forwarded to attorney for Defendant and Chief Deputy Attorney General. **ANSWER DUE FROM DEFENDANT FEBRUARY 27, 1998.**

February 4, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Claim received Chief Deputy Attorney General. Receipt of same acknowledged by Chief Deputy Attorney General February 2, 1998.

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Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting a 30-day extension of time to file its responsive pleading to Plaintiff's Claim. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant.

February 27, 1998

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant, with copy to Plaintiff, granting 30-day request for an extension of time. **Defendant's responsive pleading to Plaintiff's Complaint now due March 30, 1998.**

March 6, 1998

Statement of Amended Claim filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Amount of Claim: Unchanged. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

April 7, 1998

AND NOW, this 7th day of April, 1998, it is **ORDERED** and **DECREED** that the Statement of Amended Claim is hereby accepted by the Board of Claims. It is further **ORDERED** and **DECREED** that the Defendant shall file its response to the Statement of Amended Claim within thirty (30) days from the exit date of this Order." Copies forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

April 30, 1998

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting a 30-day extension of time in which to file Defendant's Response to Plaintiff's Claim.

May 1, 1998

Letter forwarded to Defendant granting Defendant's request for a 30-day extension of time in which to file Defendant's Response to Plaintiff's Claim. Response due June 4, 1998.

May 8, 1998

Acceptance of Service of Opinion and Order dated April 7, 1998 received from attorney for Plaintiff. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Plaintiff May 7, 1998.

May 27, 1998

Answer and New Matter filed by attorney for Defendant. Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff by attorney for Defendant. Response due from Plaintiff on or before July 1, 1998.

July 1, 1998

Claimant's Answer to New Matter filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

March 15, 1999

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a Status Report. Status Report due on or before **April 14, 1999**.

April 14, 1999

Letter received from Plaintiff advising that the parties are engaged in the discovery process which will take at least 3 months to complete.

If parties are unable to resolve this matter, they will request a hearing before the Board.

July 21, 1999

Notice of Service of Defendant's First Request for Production of Documents and First Set of Interrogatories filed by attorney for Defendant.

July 26, 1999

Notice of Service of Claimant's Request for Production of Documents filed by attorney for Plaintiff.

July 29, 1999

Notice of Service of Claimant's First Set of Continuing Interrogatories filed by attorney for Plaintiff.

August 17, 1999

Notice of Service of Plaintiff's Response to DPW's First Set of Interrogatories filed by attorney for Plaintiff.

August 17, 1999

Notice of Service of Plaintiff's Response to DPW's Request for Production of Documents filed by attorney for Plaintiff.

August 20, 1999

Notice of Service of Plaintiff's Amended Response to Defendant's Request for Production of Documents filed by attorney for Plaintiff.

March 18, 2000

Letter forwarded to parties requesting a Status Report. Status Report due on or before **April 27, 2000**.

April 6, 2000

Status letter received from attorney for Plaintiff advising that the parties are engaged in the discovery process and further that Claimant will seek ongoing settlement negotiations.

May 23, 2000

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff requesting an extension of time until August 31, 2000 in which to respond to Defendant's discovery requests.

May 24, 2000

Letter received from attorney for Defendant advising that although they do not object to Plaintiff's request, they do not agree that an extension is warranted for the reasons cited in Plaintiff's letter.

May 31, 2000

Letter forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff granting extension of time until August 31, 2000 to respond to Defendant's discovery requests.

August 24, 2000

Letter received from attorney for Plaintiff requesting an extension of time until October 31, 2000 to respond to discovery.

September 1, 2000

Letter forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff granting Plaintiff's request for an extension of time until October 31, 2000 in which to respond to discovery. Response due 10/31/00.

October 2, 2000

Letter received from attorney for Defendant requesting an extension of time until January 19, 2001, in which to respond to all discovery requests and/or Motions to Compel Discovery.

October 3, 2000

Letter forwarded to attorney for Defendant granting Defendant's request for an extension of time until January 19, 2001 in which to respond to all discovery requests and/or Motions to Compel Discovery.

December 5, 2000

Praeipie for Discontinuance filed by attorney for Plaintiff. Copy forwarded to attorney for Defendant by attorney for Plaintiff.

December 8, 2000

The Board made the following Order: "**AND NOW**, this 8th day of December, 2000, upon receipt of a Praeipie For Discontinuance, advising that 'this matter may be closed, ended and discontinued with prejudice', executed by Michael A. Hynum, NHA, Esquire, on behalf of Plaintiff, Redstone Highlands Health Care Center, Inc., and docketed with this Board under dated of December 5, 2000, it is **ORDERED** and **DIRECTED** that said case be marked 'closed, ended and discontinued with prejudice'." Copy forwarded to attorney for Plaintiff and attorney for Defendant.

December 11, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Order dated December 8, 2000 received from attorney for Plaintiff. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Plaintiff December 11, 2000.

December 18, 2000

Acceptance of Service of Order dated December 8, 2000 received from attorney for Defendant. Receipt of same acknowledged by attorney for Defendant December 12, 2000.

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